

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : David M. Gravett et al.  
Application No. : 10/748,747  
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For : SILK STENT GRAFTS

Examiner : Vy Q. Bui  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated August 6, 2008, please extend the period of time for response three months, to expire on February 6, 2008. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and authorization to charge the requisite fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.